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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Tad Deffler, et al. Art Unit: 3624
Serial No.: 09/419,749 Examiner: Colbert, Ella.
Filing Date: October 16, 1999 Date: May 23, 2003
TITLE: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR EXTENSIBLE MACRO LANGUAGE

Mail Stop NON-FEE AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R §1.111

Dear Sir:

This reply is filed to respond to the Office Action dated November 26, 2002, the period for reply being extended for three months until Monday, May 26, 2003 (Memorial Day - Federal Holiday). Please reconsider the application in view of amendments and the remarks set forth below.

The amendments are submitted in a revised format as set forth in Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted according to the Off. Gaz. Pat. Office (February 25, 2003), which permits amendments to the specification and claims to be made in a single marked-up version.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Group Art Unit 3624 at (703) 872-9326 on May 23, 2003.


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